

ORDER NO. 3805

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;  
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;  
Tony Hammond; and  
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices  
Global Expedited Package Services Contracts  
Non-Published Rates 8 (MC2016-5)

Docket No. CP2016-5

ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TWO TO AGREEMENT  
AND DENYING AS MOOT MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF

(Issued February 24, 2017)

The Global Expedited Package Services Contracts—Non-Published Rates 8 (GEPS—NPR 8) contract ending in serial number -0053 filed in this proceeding (Agreement) is set to expire on February 28, 2017.<sup>1</sup> The Postal Service seeks to extend the Agreement pursuant to Modification Two executed by the Postal Service and its

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<sup>1</sup> Order No. 3681, Order on Motion for Temporary Relief, December 21, 2016, at 2. *See also* Order No. 2774, Order Adding Global Expedited Packages Services—Non-Published Rates Contract 8 to the Competitive Product List, October 23, 2015; Customer Contract Filing Notice for Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 8 Serial Numbers Ending: 0001, 0008, 0038-0054, January 8, 2016.

contract partner.<sup>2</sup> Modification Two extends the expiration date of the Agreement until March 31, 2017. Motion at 2.

The Postal Service states that it intends to file a successor to the Agreement that is the subject of this docket. *Id.* For this reason, the Postal Service requests an extension to maintain continuity of pricing and other terms and conditions of the Agreement. *Id.*

The Commission finds that the extension will not affect the Agreement's ability to comply with 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a). Extending the Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person. Consequently, the Commission approves Modification Two. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through March 31, 2017. Accordingly, the Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

*It is ordered:*

1. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through March 31, 2017.
2. The Postal Service's Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

By the Commission.

Stacy L. Ruble  
Secretary

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<sup>2</sup> See Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief and Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification Two to Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 8 Customer Contract with Serial Number Ending: 0053, February 23, 2017, at 1-2 (Motion). The modification is attached to the Motion as Attachment 1 (Modification Two).